

Data dictionary for CA DOJ crimes and clearances summary data

Field Name	Format	Description
year	Number	Year in which crime was recorded.
county	Plain text	County in which crime was recorded. 'All combined' stands for CA state.
property_crimes	Number	Total number of property crimes recorded. Property crimes include burglary, larceny theft and motor vehicle theft.
violent_crimes	Number	Total number of violent crimes recorded. Violent crimes include non negligent manslaughter, rape, attempt to rape and aggravated assault.
population	Number	Annual population estimate for county or state.
property_crime_rate_per_100000_population	Number	Normalized rate of property crimes recorded per 100000 population.
violent_crime_rate_per_100000_population	Number	Normalized rate of violent crimes recorded per 100000 population.
property_crime_clearance_rate	Percent	Percent rate of property crimes cleared. An offense is considered cleared when at least one person involved has been arrested, charged, and turned over to the court for prosecution or referred to juvenile authorities.
violent_crime_clearance_rate	Percent	Percent rate of violent crimes cleared. An offense is considered cleared when at least one person involved has been arrested, charged, and turned over to the court for prosecution or referred to juvenile authorities.